

**COMMUNICATION AND NETWORKING TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM  
BAA 06-006**

**Questions and Answers**

**(Updated as of 4 APR 2006)**

**Question #1:** If the average award amount is \$500/year for 1-3 years, and a total budget of \$2M is anticipated for the entire program, it appears that ONR is only able to fund one project. Does \$2M refer to the annual budget or the 3-year budget?

**Answer #1:** The anticipated budget is \$2M per fiscal year.

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**Question #2:** How many awards will/are anticipated for this program? Will there be multiple awards, or just a single award?

**Answer #2:** ONR plans to fund \$300,000 to \$600,000 per year per award. At this time, the total number of awards is unknown.

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**Question #3:** We are a foreign company. Does that restrict our eligibility to submit under this BAA?

**Answer #3:** No. Paragraph III entitled "Eligibility Information" states ... "All responsible sources may submit a proposal, which shall be considered by the government."

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**Question #4:** Can we be a party to more than one white paper/proposal team?

**Answer #4:** Yes.

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**Question #5:** We would like to include a subcontract to a government agency in our cost proposal. I wanted to verify that it was ONR's policy to allow for subcontracting to government entities or if this needs to be handled in some other way.

**Answer #5:** Offerors cost proposals are not to include subcontracting to government agencies, laboratories, etc. If subcontracting to these entities is needed, the government will send the funds directly to the agency.

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